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Applicants: Short and Keller      Art Unit: 1636  
Application No.: 09/848,185      Examiner: Bronwen Loeb  
Filed: May 3, 2001  
Title: METHOD FOR OBTAINING AN ENRICHED DNA SAMPLE  
CONTAINING ENZYMES OF SPECIFIED ACTIVITY (As amended)

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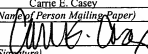
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for the above-identified application please find:

1. Response to the Final Office Action mailed November 5, 2002 (36 pages including Exhibits A, B, C and D);
2. Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.132 (2 pages);
3. Petition for One (1) Month Extension of Time (2 pages);
4. Check No. 531257 in the amount of \$55.00; and
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